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Dr. Balaram Gupta sanofi-aventis U.S. LLC U.S. Patent Operations Route #202-206/P.O.Box 6800 MAILCODE: BWD-303A Bridgewater, NJ 08807-0800 In Re: Patent Term Extension
Application for
U.S. Patent No. RE39,198

RE: FANAPT® (iloperidone)

Docket No.: FDA-2009-E-0400

Dear Dr. Balaram Gupta:

A certificate under 35 U.S.C. § 156 is enclosed extending the term of U.S. Patent No. RE39,198 for a period of 5 years. While a courtesy copy of this letter is being forwarded to the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), you should directly correspond with the FDA regarding any required changes to the patent expiration dates set forth in the Patent and Exclusivity Data Appendix of the Orange Book (Approved Drug Products with Therapeutic Equivalence Evaluations) or in the Patent Information set forth in the Green Book (FDA Approved Animal Drug Products). Effective August 18, 2003, patent submissions for publication in the Orange Book and Docket *95S-0117 need to be submitted on form FDA-3542 which may be downloaded from FDA's Electronic Forms Download Website: http://www.fda.gov/opacom/morechoices/fdaforms/default.html (http://www.fda.gov/opacom/morechoices/fdaforms/FDA-3542.pdf).

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(12) CERTIFICATE EXTENDING PATENT TERM UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 156

(68) PATENT NO. : RE39,198

(45) ISSUED : November 15, 1994

(75) INVENTOR : Joseph T. Strupczewski et al.

(73) PATENT OWNER : Aventisub II Inc.

(95) PRODUCT : FANAPT® (iloperidone)

This is to certify that an application under 35 U.S.C. § 156 has been filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, requesting extension of the term of U.S. Patent No. RE39,198 based upon the regulatory review of the product FANAPT® (iloperidone) by the Food and Drug Administration. Since it appears that the requirements of the law have been met, this certificate extends the term of the patent for the period of

(94) 5 years

from November 15, 2011, the original expiration date of the patent, subject to the payment of maintenance fees as provided by law, with all rights pertaining thereto as provided by 35 U.S.C. § 156(b).

I have caused the seal of the United States Patent and Trademark Office to be affixed this 28th day of July 2011.

David J. Kappos

Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office